

2,400 MORE TROOPS AT SPARTANBURG

Total Soldiers Now at Camp
Wadsworth Exceed 5,000;
New Arrivals.

CONGESTION AT STATIONS

Private Cornelius Vanderbilt
Jr.'s Pluck Wins Com-
rades' Respect.

Special Dispatch to The Sun.

SPARTANBURG, S. C., Sept. 8.—All rail-
road lines leading into Spartanburg were
cluttered with troop trains this after-
noon, no less than 2,400 men and their
equipment, coming in to augment the
forces already quartered in Camp Wad-
sworth. This brings the total soldier
strength of Camp Wadsworth beyond
the 5,000 mark.

The first section to arrive brought the
headquarters train and two companies
of military police. This fine body of
men is recruited up to full strength of
500 and is commanded by Major T. H.
Shanton. On this first section also came
Lieut. McCartney of the headquarters
troop and twenty of his men who re-
mained in New York to conduct the
series of benefit performances that were
given at the Comedy Theatre for the
troop fund. Private Cornelius Vander-
bilt, Jr., was among those in the de-
tachment.

The first section rolled into Camp
Wadsworth late in the afternoon and the
others were close behind. By midnight,
it is believed, all will have detrained and
pitched their camps. Should there be a
shortage of army trucks commandeered
to remove tentage and supplies, however,
these belated arrivals will remain in
their troop cars until morning.

Midtracked Ten Miles From Camp.

The second section was composed of
the First, Second and Third Field Hos-
pital Corps. The third section, which
was midtracked about ten miles away
to permit the trains ahead to unload and
back out of the camp siding, brought
the division ammunition train composed
of 400 men commanded by Lieut.-Col.
Lanning. There are twelve auto trucks
in this command, all armored. Six are
devoted to the small arms branch of the
service and the others to artillery. The
field bakery also came on this section. It
has 100 men and fifteen big field bakeries
capable of turning out 15,000 loaves of
bread a day. Capt. J. A. Millard is in
charge of this unit.

One of the most useful detachments
for the camp is the divisional supply
unit with its 350 men and thirty big
motor trucks. All will detrain by mid-
night and aid in hauling the supplies of
the other units to their camp sites to-
morrow. This unit is commanded by
Capt. George Robertson of Vanderbilt
cup race fame.

The fourth section is made up of the
Second Field Hospital Corps, Major
Louis H. Clausen commanding, and the
Fourth Field Hospital Corps, in charge
of Major Frank Harnden.

Young Vanderbilt's Pluck.

The arrival here to-day of young Cor-
nelius Vanderbilt brought to light an in-
teresting story of the youth's entrance
into the service as a private. He is only
19 years old and better than most. He
was eager to enter the service, and when
he told his mother he intended to try for
a commission she forbade him taking
such a step. The boy persisted and went
to his father. He got little consolation
there, the Colonel of the Twenty-second
Engineers telling him that if he was older
in his desire to serve his country
he should enlist and start as a private.
Mrs. Vanderbilt was horrified when she
heard of this. She was still more upset
when the boy went home the day follow-
ing to tell her he had enlisted in the
militia.

When young Vanderbilt reported to his
company he was as unassuming a look-
ing specimen as ever entered the ser-
vice. He was a tall, awkward youth.
He wanted to be a good soldier, but he
lacked little about military discipline.
Still he was determined to learn.

The men in the company hated the
boy unmercifully. They made him do
all sorts of foolish things. They
grinned and bore it like a man and
ploded along in his own quiet way.
Now, while still somewhat awkward, he
is developing into a good soldier and
has won the respect and esteem of every
man in the company.

A few days before coming to camp
Vanderbilt's Lieutenant called his atten-
tion to grease spots on his leggings.
"Very well, sir," said the youth, "I
will have them cleaned at once."

"You'll have them cleaned?" roared
Lieut. Cameron. "You'll clean them
yourself and right now!"

New Camp Regulations.

The men in the camp are looking for-
ward to the general orders, which they
learned to-day will be posted through-
out the camp to-morrow. The orders
will cover every form of camp regula-
tion. They will enjoy a due apprecia-
tion by the soldiers of "the civilian popu-
lation of this section of the country, who
have a national reputation for open
hearted hospitality."

Major-Gen. O'Ryan to-day called for a
list of those reserve officers now here
who previously served with the Seventh
infantry. It is believed all such men will
be detailed for duty with their old com-
mand under their present rank.

The huge quartermaster's stores will
be ready for service on Monday and
everything that goes to make up the
equipment of a soldier will be issued
from this store. Ample provisions are
on hand, as well as uniforms, shoes and
other articles.

There was an exodus of reserve offi-
cers from Spartanburg to-day for near-
by cities and mountain resorts. A num-
ber on short leaves went to Atlanta,
Asheville and Hendersonville.

The first baseball game of the camp
was played by the champion team of E.
Company, Engineers, and a local nine
this afternoon. The champions won with
ease. The Y. M. C. A. workers here
presented the reserve officers quartered
in Wofford Hall with baseball equipment
enough for two teams and a game was
played on the college field this afternoon.

SCOTTISH RITE TO RALLY HERE

Annual Convention to Be Held
September 18 to 20.

The Scottish Rite Masons of New
York city are preparing a great wel-
come for the Supreme Council of Sov-
ereign Grand Inspectors-General of the
Thirty-third and Last Degree of
Scottish Rite of Freemasonry for the
Northern Masonic Jurisdiction at the
annual meeting at the Masonic Hall,
Twenty-third street, September 18 to 20.
The Scottish Rite lodges of New York
city, under the leadership of Walter W.
Griffith, commander in chief, have 5,400
members. Plans are being laid to make
this meeting of the supreme council, the
first that New York has held since 1899,
a record convention.

WOMEN TO HANDLE CANTEEN SELECTED

Many New York Names Listed
on Red Cross Roster.

One hundred women to take charge of
canteen and rest stations along the
routes travelled by soldiers going to and
from the trenches in France have been
selected by the Woman's Bureau of the
American Red Cross. Several detach-
ments already have been sent to France.
The women enlisted were selected, be-
cause of special qualifications, from
among hundreds of applicants willing to
serve without pay and bear their own
expenses abroad. On account of the na-
ture of the work the Woman's Bureau
selected only those of robust health, who
can speak French and who are willing to
undergo hardships and discomforts.

The Red Cross has appropriated \$700,-
000 for the establishment of canteens
and rest rooms and for the maintenance
of them for about three months. They
will be situated at points where the men
passing to and from the trenches change
trains.

Miss Katharine T. E. Lansing and
Miss Emma Sterling Lansing of Water-
town, N. Y., sisters of Secretary Lan-
sing, are among those selected. Others
are Miss Frances Mitchell, Miss Mary
Vail Andrews, Miss Irene M. Givenwil-
son, Mrs. Charlotte Thrasher, Miss Emily
M. Bennett, Mrs. Amelia van der Kieft
Church, Mrs. Harbour Walker, Mrs.
Meredith Waterbury, Mrs. Eleanor C.
Prime, Mrs. Pearl Adie Chase, Mrs.
Katherine P. Davis, Miss Cornelia B.
Knox, Miss Agnes E. Sheehan, Miss
Elizabeth D. Young, Miss Mary T. Lane
and Miss Ella Osborne of New York;
Miss Harriet Rogers of Harrison-on-
Hudson; Miss Catherine Ruth Porter
and Miss Harriet Dickins of Washing-
ton, D. C.; Miss Florence H. Herriek and
Miss Harriet P. Herriek of Roselle, N. J.;
Mrs. Mary Elckney Lawrence, Rut-
land, Vt.; Misses Frances and Elizabeth
Anderson of New Canaan, Conn.; Miss
Ruth E. Smith, Yonkers; Mrs. Elizabeth
H. Taylor, Moline, Ill.; Miss Alice Lord
O'Brien and Miss Anna P. Rochester,
Buffalo.

FRENCH SOCIALISTS WOULD PUSH WAR

Ready to Fill Cabinet Places
if Liberties Are Safe-
guarded.

PARIS, Sept. 8.—The Socialist Parlia-
mentary group, from which it is re-
ported Premier Ribot intends to select
more than one member of his recon-
structed Cabinet, met to-day to discuss
the party's participation in the new
Ministry.

After four and a half hours of dis-
cussion the meeting adopted a resolu-
tion proposed by Pierre Renaudel, leader
of the Socialist majority in the Chamber,
setting forth that the Socialist group
was ready to collaborate with the Gov-
ernment to prosecute the war, militarily and
economically; would safeguard the lib-
erties of the public and the workers, and
not menace those liberties by false in-
terpretations of the necessities of the
national defense.

The resolution then condemns secret
diplomacy, insists that the war aims of
the Allies be limited to claims of just
justice and concludes with the state-
ment that the assistance to be given by
the party and the guarantees it intends
to obtain must be discussed by delegates
with official mandates.

The resolution was not adopted unani-
mously. There were twenty-nine votes
in its favor. A motion against partici-
pation in the Government by the party
received four votes, and another resolu-
tion of similar import, put forward by
the minority Socialist section, had six-
teen votes.

NATIONAL SERVICE CLUBS SOON.

First of a Series Will Open in New
York Next Saturday.

National Service Club No. 1, the first
branch of the new organization for the
use of soldiers and sailors, will be
opened next Saturday in a three story
building on the northeast corner of the
Fifth and Seventh streets and Seventh avenue.
The expenses of conducting the club for one
year will be borne by the Harvard Club.
The organization, which was founded
by Raymond B. Foxdock, chairman of the
National Committee on Training Camps,
in conjunction with the Mayor's Com-
mittee on National Defence, the Police Wel-
fare Bureau, the Red Cross Society and
the Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. A., will
furnish free clubrooms for enlisted men
in all branches of the service. Club
No. 1 will serve as a model for others.
Holand Haynes, representing the Har-
vard Club, will be manager of the first
branch.

Festival by Community Chorus.

Major-Gen. Bell, the officers and men
of the Seventy-first Regiment, Mayor
Mitchell and members of the Mayor's
Committee on National Defence will be
among the guests of honor at the second
annual "Song and Light Festival" to be
given by the New York Community
Chorus under Harry Barnhart's leader-
ship in Central Park Thursday and Fri-
day evenings, September 13 and 14.

Not simply extra
size garments—but
specially designed in
extra sizes—with par-
ticular attention paid
to the needs of plump
young women who
want smart, youth-
ful, distinctive
clothing.

New Fall Fashions

No tailor or dressmaker can give you
the service we offer. It's a secret our
designers have learned through long
experience.

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THE DEPARTMENT FOR MEN'S OVERCOATS

is now located in a commodious and airy section of the **SIXTH FLOOR.**

Complete assortments have been assembled for the Autumn and Winter seasons.

The Departments for Young Men's and Boys' Clothing and Men's and
Boys' Shoes are also situated on this floor.

Over One Thousand Imported Filet Lace Window Panels, Curtains and Bedspreads

all hand-made, will be placed on sale
to-morrow (Monday) at prices that, in view
of the conditions at present prevailing in
Europe, are unprecedentedly low.

Hand-made Filet Lace Panels
each \$11.50, 13.50, 15.00, 17.50, upward

Hand-made Filet Lace Curtains
pair \$22.00, 24.00, 27.50, 33.00, upward

Hand-made Filet Lace Bedspreads
each \$22.00, 24.00, 27.50, 33.00, upward

(This Sale will be continued throughout the week)

The regular stock of the Decorative Lace De-
partment includes an unsurpassed collection
of Hand-made Filet Lace Pieces, comprising
Scarfs, Runners, Table Covers, Piano Covers,
Bedspreads, Pillow Covers, Chair Backs,
French Door Panels and Afternoon Tea Sets,
all of which are very reasonably priced.

(Fourth Floor)

A Monday Sale of Women's Silk Hosiery

will present an unusual opportunity for ob-
taining merchandise of superior qualities
at prices that, considering the constantly
advancing cost of material, represent marked
concessions.

BLACK OR WHITE SILK HOSE

with cotton tops and soles . . . per pair 95c.

BLACK SILK HOSE

per pair \$1.10

BLACK OR WHITE SILK HOSE

with Hsle-interlined tops; a very durable
quality per pair \$1.75

A number of styles in Women's Novelty Silk
Hose (with cotton tops and soles) will at the
same time be placed on sale at considerably
reduced prices. These are in broken sizes.



Suitings and Coatings

FOR AUTUMN AND WINTER

are attractively displayed in the Wool Dress
Goods Department, on the First Floor.

Every fashionable weave and color is rep-
resented in the vast assortments shown.
Especially interesting are the velvet-finish
and suede-finish velours, duvetyns and silver-
toned velours; the new tweeds, homespun,
broadcloths and serges; and, among the
smart coatings, beaver, moleskin and silk
seal.

Fashionable Autumn Clothes

representing every element of novelty in
modes, materials, and colors, are featured
in the Women's Ready-to-wear Departments,
on the Third Floor. The display includes
Imported Gowns and Suits

Afternoon and Evening Gowns

American-made Street Suits

Mourning Outfits, Separate Skirts

Riding Habits and Sports Clothes

Millinery and House Gowns

The Dep't for Dressmaking and Tailoring
is also on the Third Floor.

French and American Blouses

acquire an augmented importance when the
Autumn tailor suit comes into its own. The
pre-eminently smart Blouses now displayed
on the Second Floor introduce all the newest
style features and well illustrate the wizardry
of the designers on both sides of the Atlantic.
The stock includes:

American-made Blouses

Of various silk crepes, . . . at \$5.50 to 55.00
Of silk (tailored models), . . . at 5.75 to 20.00

Imported Blouses

Of lingerie materials . . . at \$8.75 to 45.00
Of silk, Georgette or lace (novelty models)
at \$19.50 to 85.00

Garments for the Younger Set

In the section devoted to the costuming of
Misses and Junior Misses are splendid assort-
ments of Tailored Frocks of fine serges;
Tailored Suits and Coats, in plain and fancy
models, of the fashionable velours, diagonals
and tweeds; and Luncheon, Matinee and
Dinner Gowns of charmeuse, satins and
choice fabrics in the graceful draped effects,
many showing unusual combinations.

(Second Floor)

THE MADISON AVENUE ENTRANCE

is spacious, convenient, and affords plenty of carriage room. It is easily reached
from the subways, the Grand Central Station, and all the
avenues of approach to the city.